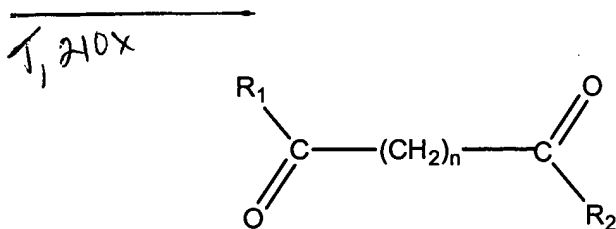


Please amend the application as shown below:

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as shown below:

1. (Amended) A compound having the structure:



wherein [each of R₁ and R₂ are independently the same as or different from each other;

when] R₁ and R₂ are the same [each is] and are a substituted or unsubstituted

[cycloalkylamino, pyridineamino, piperidino, 9-purine-6-amine, or] thiazoleamino group;

[when R₁ and R₂ are different, R₁=R₃-N-R₄, wherein each of R₃ and R₄ are independently the same as or different from each other and are a hydrogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a

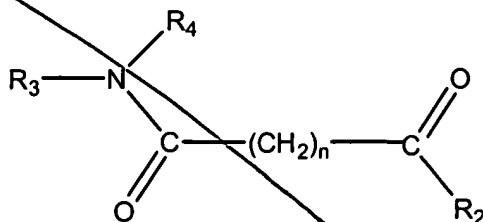
substituted or unsubstituted, branched or unbranched alkyl, alkenyl, cycloalkyl, aryl,

alkyloxy, aryloxy, arylalkyloxy, or pyridine group, or R₃ and R₄ bond together to form a

piperidine group, and R₂ is a hydroxylamino, hydroxyl, amino, alkylamino, or alkyloxy

group;] and n is an integer from about 4 to about 8.

2. (Amended) A compound [of claim 1] having the structure:



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wherein each of R_3 and R_4 are independently the same as or different from each other and are a hydrogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted, branched or unbranched alkyl, alkenyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, alkyloxy, aryloxy, arylalkyloxy, or pyridine group, or R_3 and R_4 bond together to form a piperidine group; R_2 is a hydroxylamino[, hydroxyl, amino, alkylamino, or alkyloxy] group; [and] n is an integer from [about 4] 5 to about 8; R_3 -N- R_4 and R_2 are different.

3. (Amended) A compound of claim 2, wherein [R_2 is a hydroxylamino, hydroxyl, amino, methylamino, or methoxy group and] n is 6. ¹⁷¹
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5. (Amended) A compound of claim 4, wherein the phenyl group is substituted with a methyl, cyano, nitro, trifluoromethyl, amino, aminocarbonyl, methylcyano, chloro, fluoro, bromo, iodo, 2,3-difluoro, 2,4-difluoro, 2,5-difluoro, 3,4-difluoro, 3,5-difluoro, 2,6-difluoro, 1,2,3-trifluoro, 2,3,6-trifluoro, 2,4,6-trifluoro, 3,4,5-trifluoro, 2,3,5,6-tetrafluoro, 2,3,4,5,6-pentafluoro, azido, hexyl, t-butyl, phenyl, carboxyl, hydroxyl, [methoxy] ¹⁷¹ methoxy, phenyloxy, benzyloxy, phenylaminooxy, phenylaminocarbonyl, [methoxycarbonyl] methoxycarbonyl, methylaminocarbonyl, dimethylamino, ¹⁷¹ dimethylaminocarbonyl, or hydroxylaminocarbonyl group. ¹⁷³

7. (Amended) A compound of claim 3, wherein R_4 is a hydrogen atom and R_3 is a [methoxy] methoxy group. ¹⁷¹ ¹⁷³

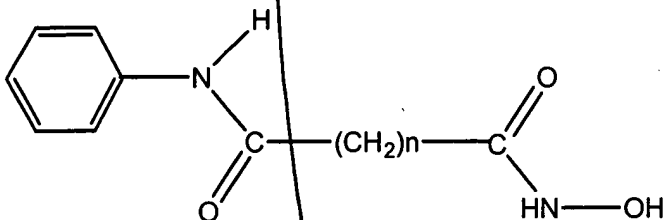
11. (Amended) A compound of claim [3] 2, wherein R_4 is a hydrogen atom and R_3 is a [δ -pyridine] γ -pyridine group. ¹⁷¹ ¹⁷³ ¹⁷¹

12. (Amended) A compound of claim [3] 2, wherein R_4 is a hydrogen atom and R_3 is a β -pyridine group. ¹⁷¹ ¹⁷³

13. (Amended) A compound of claim [3] 2, wherein R_4 is a hydrogen atom and R_3 is a α -pyridine group.
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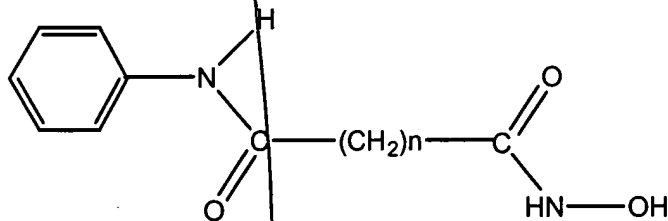
Please add Claims 18-29.

18. A compound having the structure:



wherein n is an integer from 5 to about 8.

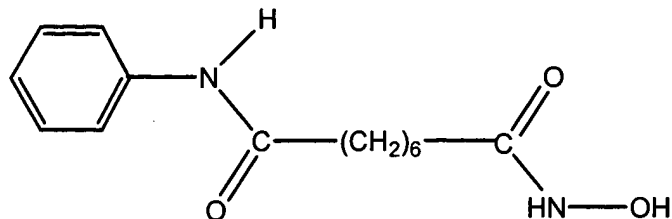
19. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a compound having the structure:



wherein n is an integer from 5 to about 8;
and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

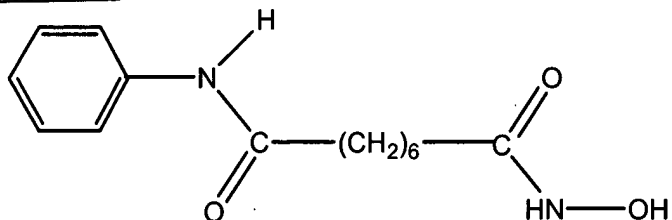
I 20. A compound having the structure:

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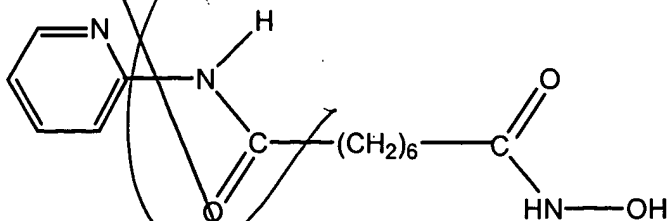
21. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a compound having the structure:

1,241X

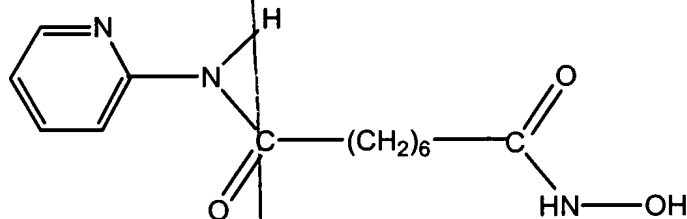


and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

22. A compound having the structure:

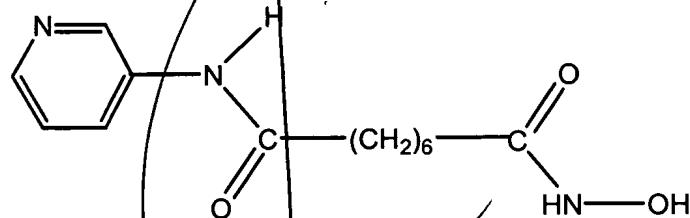


23. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a compound having the structure:

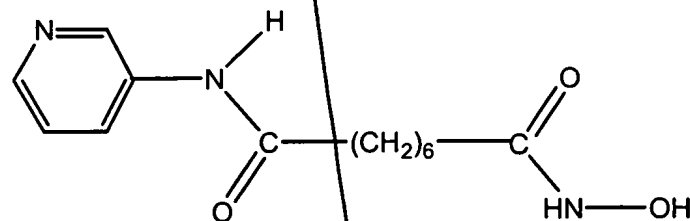


and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

24. A compound having the structure:



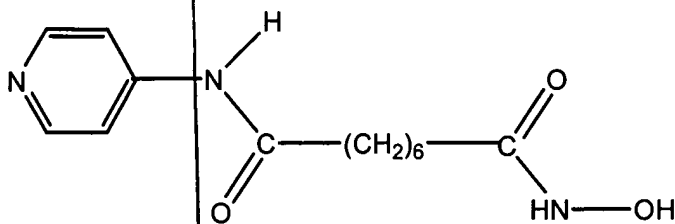
25. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a compound having the structure



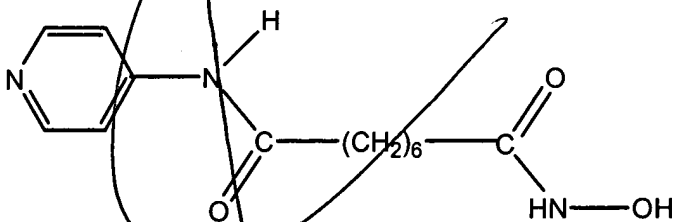
and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

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26. A compound having the structure:



27. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a compound having the structure:



and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

28. A compound having the structure:

